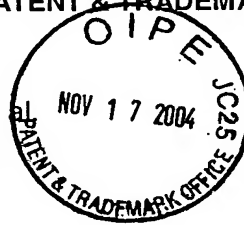


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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

EXTENSION OF TIME

A petition for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is not believed necessary.

CLAIM FEES

The claim fees have been calculated as follows:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total	28	-	46	= 0 x \$ 18.00	= \$ 0.00
Independent	5	-	4	= 1 x \$ 88.00	= \$ 88.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM+ \$ 300.00					= \$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE					\$ 88.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is made herein to charge the fees as itemized on the attached Fee Transmittal (PTO/SB/17), as well as to charge any deficiencies in the fees, and/or to further credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 503-121 to maintain the pendency of this application.

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